

REMARKS

Pending Claims

Claims 1-17 and 22-39 have been canceled. Accordingly claims 18-21 are pending, which have been indicated as being allowed.

35 U.S.C. §103

Claims 1-17 and 22-39 have been canceled. Therefore, the rejections under 35 USC §103 have been rendered moot. This has been done in order to expedite the issuance of subject matter indicated as being allowable and is not to be interpreted as an acquiescence as to the propriety of the rejections.


Drawings

Enclosed is a copy of a Request for Approval of Proposed Drawing Corrections filed May 5, 2000. The proposed drawing corrections were not indicated as being approved by the Examiner. The proposed drawing correction should be accepted since it is directed to a correction of the label for box 104 to "DATA TLB" in Figs. 1 and 7. See page 6, line 2 of the specification for support of the correction. Further, since this application is otherwise in condition for allowance, formal replacement sheets including the change are enclosed herewith. Acceptance of the replacement formal sheets of drawings for Figs. 1 and 7 is respectfully requested.

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants contend that the above-identified application is now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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FIG. 1

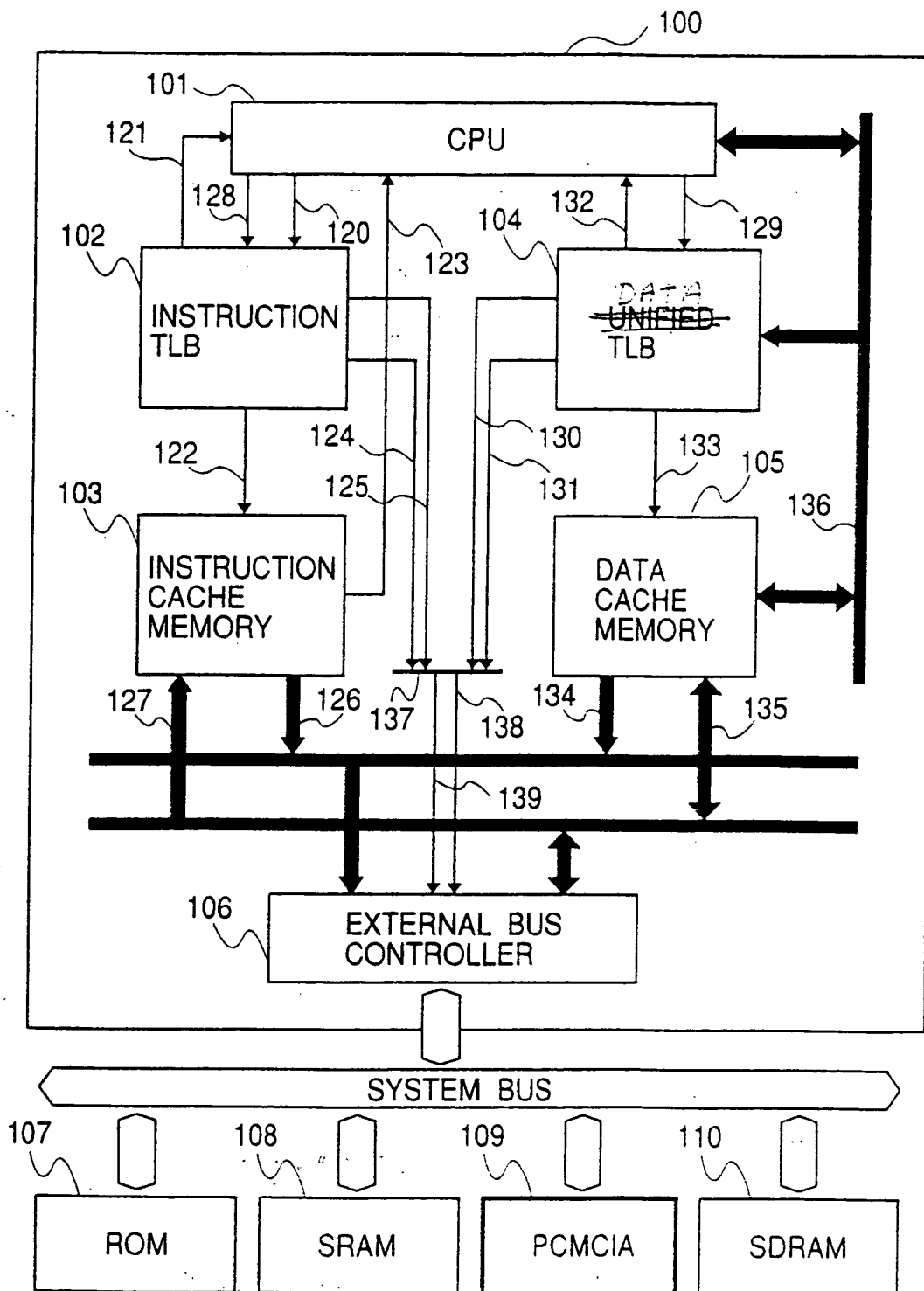


FIG. 7

